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MESSAGE: Transmitted herewith are an Interview Summary, Terminal Disclaimer and a Notice of Recordation of Assignment document for U.S. Patent No. 6,433,632

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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Sir:

On April 24, 2006, Applicant's representative (Melissa A. Beede, Reg. No. 54, 986) spoke to Examiner Ometz regarding allowability of the application. The substance of that call and subsequent correspondence is summarized herein.

During the April 24, 2006 telephone call, the Examiner indicated that the present application would be allowed if the Applicant filed a Terminal Disclaimer to obviate a double patenting rejection over U.S. Patent No. 6,433,632. Accordingly, Applicant encloses an executed Terminal Disclaimer. Also enclosed is a Notice of Recordation received in connection with U.S. Patent No. 6,433,632 evidencing that U.S. Patent No. 6,433,632 is commonly owned with the above-referenced application.

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